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SUBJ: DRUG ABUSE SPECIALIST LEWIS VISIT TO BOGOTA

DEPT FOR CU NCCONNELL AND S/NM, USIA FOR ILA, HANSEN

REF: STATE 230381

1. DR. LEWIS VISITED BOGOTA OCT 1 THRU 3 AND MET INFORMALLY WITH VARIOUS MEMBERS NATIONAL COUNCIL ON DANGEROUS DRUGS INCLUDING COUNCIL EXECSEC RESTREPO AND DIRMENTAL HEALTH JORGE MEJIA. LEWIS APPEARED IMPRESSED IMPRESSED WITH LEVEL OF COMPETENCE AND INTERFUNCTIONAL COOPERATION HE FOUND AMONG GOC OFFICIALS AND PRIVATE COLOMBIANS WORKING ON DRUG PREVENTION AND REHABILITATION. AT REQUEST SEVERAL GOC OFFICIALS, HE INDICATED WILLINGNESS RETURN TO COLOMBIA FOR FURTHER CONSULTATIONS IN BOGOTA AND OTHER CITIES WHERE REHAB-EDUCATION PROGRAMS UNDERWAY.

2. IN LINE WITH MISSION POLICY SUPPORTING COLOMBIAN EFFORTS AT DEVELOPING BETTER DRUG EDUCATION AND ABUSE PREVENTION PROGRAMS, 23 DESIRE HELP FOSTER CLOSE CONTACTS BETWEEN DR. LEWIS AND VARIOUS COLOMBIAN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE GROUPINGS WORKING IN THE NARCOTICS FIELD. IN THIS CONNECTION WOULD BE PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN HAVING DR. LEWIS VISIT DRUG REHABILITATION CENTERS IN CALI, MEDELLIN AND BUCARAMANGA WITH EXPRESS PURPOSE WORKING WITH THESE CENTERS TO DEVELOP STRONGER LOCAL UNCLASSIFIED

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DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND EDUCATION PROGRAMS.

3. PLEASE ADVISE ON FUNDING POSSIBILITIES ALL ABOVE.
UNDERSTAND DR. LEWIS WOULD EXPECT RECEIVE ONLY TRAVEL
AND PER DIEM; HOWEVER, EVEN THIS MODEST EXPENSE EXCEEDS
POST NARCO PROGRAM ALLOCATIONS.
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